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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully request(s) a one-month extension of time to and including June 5, 1999, for responding to the Office Action mailed on February 5, 1999, in the above-captioned application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), a check in the amount of \$110.00 for the extension fee is enclosed. Any additional fees are authorized to be charged to Deposit Account 19-0733 (Order No. Gerszberg 38-33-29). A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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